



CONTRIBUTION OF HARYANA WRESTLERS AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL COMPETITION

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of the study is to great source of inspiration to the present and future wrestlers, promoters, educational institutions and wrestling organizers to develop new guidelines, to improve existing facilities, organization and administrative set-up pattern on the basis of present scientific work. It is serve to promote wrestling consciousness among the people. The study was an exploratory type of study and the methods use was a case study to investigate contribution of Haryana Wrestlers at International level Competitions. Since the study was qualitative in nature the researcher was try to collect information from both the sources i.e., primary and secondary source of data. The interview method was the tool used to collect information. His interview was be structured in nature and would be conducted face to face or through telephonically. The collected interview was analyzed by using content analysis technique of data analysis.

KEY WORDS: Contribution, Competition and Wrestling.

INTRODUCTION:

History is a mirror which uses as advancement of the past occasions based on logical confirmations. It passes the information of the past to the present ages and history is the proof in societal advancement in every era. Sports and game likewise came fit as a fiddle with this societal advancement.

The historical backdrop of games and sports is as old as the historical backdrop of humankind. On the off chance that we peep through the old human progress, different games, diversions and entertainments were sorted out by the different social associations, for example, Athenians, Spartans and Romans. The climax accompanied the association of the main Ancient Olympic Games of 776 B.C. in Greece. Sports today have cut over all the physical hindrances. History is a face of confirmations with respect to how rulers, Maharajas and Rulers disparaged sports and sportsmen so as to set up high convention of games culture and through these had accomplished profound social effect on populace of that zone. Bhullar(2006).

Haryana has made the history in the field of wrestling after the division. Wrestlers of Haryana demonstrate their ability in the diverse dimension of rivalries makes the pleased Haryana state in International dimension. Haryana state gives the significant number of National and International dimension wrestlers to nation. Other than that Haryana government gives the International mentors to the nation. Under the direction of these mentors wrestlers of the nation got the decorations at National and International dimension for the nation.

PURPOSE OF STUDY:

To assess the contribution of Haryana Wrestlers at International level Competitions.

PROCEDURE:

The Interview was conducted from different 50 Physical Education Teachers, Wrestling Coaches, Wrestlers, School Principals and College Principals. Besides from that investigator visit the office of wrestling federation of India.

SPORTS ACHIEVEMENTS:

Haryana is a conventional powerhouse in games like kho-kho, judo, kabaddi, boxing and wrestling. Sports in the state are overseen by the Department of Sports and Youth Affairs, Haryana. HARYANA has always been at the top in sports achievement in the last decade. From the Indian contingent 81 athletes at the 2012 London Olympics, 18 hailed from HARYANA including all the top boxers and wrestlers. The state has a share of only about 2% of the national population.

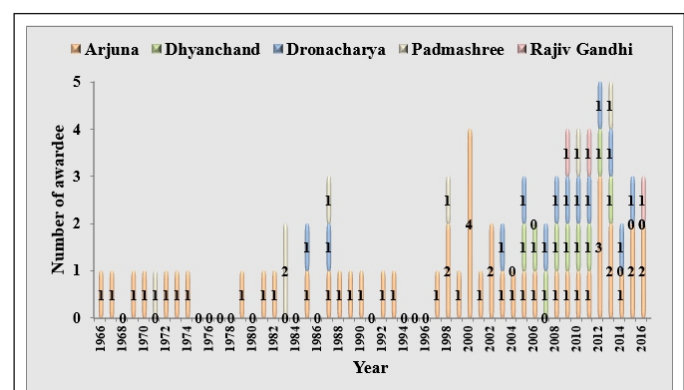
STATE SPORTS AWARD:

This Haryana State organizes Sports Awards to facilitate sports person who bring laurel in their respective field. The primary intention of this intends to persuade

the wrestlers and give the societal position. With the end goal of offering impetus to remarkable players "Haryana State Sports Award" is granted on the example of "Arjun Award" of the Central Government. Consistently remarkable players were regarded with the Haryana State Sports Award his Excellency the Governor of Haryana in a fantastic capacity at the Haryana Raj Bhawan. Under the plan every player was granted with money grant, one Silver Trophy and one Scroll. Bhim Awards is the most astounding award of the state government for the remarkable players of the Haryana. The award is given to 11 sportspersons of the state; 5 in individual occasions, 3 in group occasions and 2 to paralympic sportspersons and for mentally challenged sportspersons. The award will be given once in life to sportspersons of the Haryana state dependent on past four years accomplishments. The criteria for the honor will be supported and straightforward determination system would be developed.

The number wrestlers winning acclaim at international arena had attracted the attention at national level too with having more wrestlers getting prestigious awards of India like:

- ARJUNA AWARD
- DHYANCHAND AWARD
- DRONACHARYA AWARD
- PADMASHREE AWARD
- RAJIV GANDHI KHEL RATTAN AWARD



Source: Wrestling Federation of India (2019) list of awards.

Table 1: Participation by wrestlers of Haryana in various international championships

Year	Olympic	Asian games		Senior world Championship		Commonwealth	
	Participants	Position holder	Participants	Position holder	Position holder	Participants	Position holder
1966							
1967			6	2		7	2

Year	Olympic	Asian games		Senior world Championship		Commonwealth	
	Participants	Position holder	Participants	Position holder	Position holder	Participants	Position holder
1968					1		
1969	4						
1970							
1971			5	3		9	2
1972							
1973	8						
1974							
1975			3	2		10	3
1976							
1977							
1978							
1979			3	2		9	5
1980							
1981	6						
1982							
1983			5	1		8	5
1984							
1985	9						
1986			3	1			
1987							
1988	7						
1989							
1990			2	1		9	4
1991							
1992	6						
1993							
1994						5	3
1995							
1996	1						
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2000	1						
2001							
2002			1			6	1
2003							
2004	7						
2005							
2006			6	4	1		
2007							
2008	3	1					
2009					1		
2010			3	3	1	19	13
2011							
2012	5	2					
2013					3		
2014			5	4		13	10
2015					1		
2016	6	1					

Source: Wrestling Federation of India (2019) Result-International Events.

Participation in international championships by wrestlers from Haryana has increased in recent years and proportionately more wrestlers are winning top positions as a result of revolution in the field. Evolution of nurseries, wings, clubs, and talent search schemes, improved and better training techniques has resulted such a progress in Haryana sports especially wrestling.

Position holder wrestlers of Haryana, in other International free style wrestling championships, from 2001 to 2015. In all three categories sub-junior, junior and senior

S.No	Year	Positions
1	2000-01	07
2	2001-02	15
3	2002-03	27
4	2003-04	24
5	2004-05	51
6	2005-06	10
7	2007-08	15
8	2007-08	30
9	2008-09	56
10	2009-10	40
11	2010-11	46
12	2011-12	37
13	2012-13	38
14	2013-14	38
15	2014-15	19

CONCLUSION:

It was found that wrestlers of Haryana participating in International competitions like Olympics, Asian Games, Commonwealth Games and World Championships. Since 1966, after the separation, Wrestlers of Haryana perform their best at international level and they have brought laurels to the nation. Wrestlers of Haryana bagged loads of international medals various championships. In the last 15 years, wrestlers of Haryana participated in various international tournaments and won medals for India as shown in the above table.

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